



## A-8753X PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re the Application of:

Gerald J. BANKS

Appln. No.: 10/808,286 Group Art Unit: 2824

Filed: March 25, 2004 Examiner: V. Le

For: ELECTRICALLY ALTERABLE NON-VOLATILE MEMORY WITH

N-BITS PER CELL

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time now set for response be extended, retroactively, by two months. If any further extension of time is required to avoid abandonment of this application, such extension is hereby requested. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 50-1165.

Respectfully submitted,

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